



Roundabout Rules of the Road for Motorists

- When approaching a roundabout, slow down and stay to the right of the splitter island.
- Look for and yield to pedestrians in the crosswalk.



- When approaching the entrance to roundabout, look to the left. Traffic already within the roundabout always has the right-of-way.
- Approach the yield line and enter the roundabout when there is an adequate gap in the circulating traffic flow.



- If another car is waiting at the yield line ahead of you, do not stop in the crosswalk. Keep the crosswalk clear for pedestrians.
- Bicyclists are permitted to ride within the roundabout and will be riding in the lane just as other vehicles do. Do not pass a bicycle in a roundabout.
- Once you have entered the roundabout, you have the right-of-way. Proceed counter-clockwise to your exit.
- As you approach your exit, turn on your right turn signal.
- Exit the roundabout, yielding to pedestrians in the crosswalk.
- Give special consideration to trucks, trailers, and other large vehicles. Never pass or drive adjacent to large vehicles within the roundabout.
- Emergency vehicles have the right-of-way. Do not enter the roundabout if an emergency vehicle is approaching from one of the other legs. If you are within the roundabout when an emergency vehicle approaches, do not stop. Move safely through, exit, and then pull over.



Rules of the Road for Cyclists

- If you are comfortable riding in traffic, take the lane and circulate as the vehicles do, making sure to yield to traffic in the circle when you enter.
- Ride at the speed of the circular roadway to discourage cars from passing you.
- Be aware of traffic around you; continually scan for vehicles that may turn unexpectedly.
- When you exit the roundabout, use your right hand signal.
- If you are unsure about using the roundabout, dismount and walk your bike as a pedestrian at the designated crosswalks.



Rules of the Road for Pedestrians

- Stay on the designated walkways at all times.
- Cross only at the designated crosswalks.
- Never cross to the central island.
- Watch for cars; you have the right-of-way, but your best protection is your own attention.
- Cross the crosswalk one direction at a time, using the splitter island as a refuge area before crossing the next direction of vehicular traffic.
- Roundabouts have shown a 40% reduction in pedestrian injuries, however always be aware of traffic before crossing any intersection.